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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

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- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
 - The drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwriting, interlineations, folds, and copy marks. See Figure(s) 1-2.

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed October 19, 2004, applicants enclose for filing in the above-captioned U.S. patent application the following documents:

1. Copy of Notice To File Missing Parts;

- 2. One sheet replacement formal drawings;
- 3. Designation Under 37 CFR 1.32 (c)(3) Of Patent Practitioners; and
- 4. Executed Combined Declaration And Power Of Attorney with copy of patent application attached.

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Respectfully submitted,

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